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In re Application Of:)
Jeffrey C. BURNHAM.) Group Art Unit: 1616
Application Number: 10/051,387) Examiner: S. Clardy
Filed: January 22, 2002)
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, and in compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicants are submitting herewith copies of the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 for consideration and to be made of record herein by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-captioned application.

The attached documents were cited in an International Search Report dated March 31, 2003 of the corresponding application, PCT/US02/01511, and relevance is indicated on the enclosed copy of the Search Report.

Consideration of the foregoing plus the prompt return of a copy of the enclosed PTO Form-1449 with the Examiner's initials in the left column in accordance with MPEP 609 are respectfully requested.

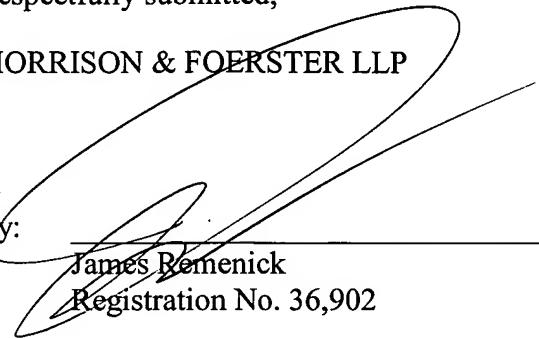
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